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### ANOTHER MURDER.

#### A Negro Supposed to Have Had Money Killed.

#### Suspicion Points to a Traveling Negro Doctor--Fordsville People Aroused.

Noble Poole, a negro, was found dead at his home in Fordsville Sunday, his skull crushed. He had been dead several days and the body had begun to decompose. Beside him lay a carpenter's hammer, evidently the article with which he had been murdered. The negro lived Leaves His Business And His Asalone and it was only by accident that his body was found, even as early as it was, the house being at the edge of town, at a place where there was but little passing.

Poole was about fifty years old and one of the most highly respected ne groes in Ohio county. He had lived an industrous life and was supposed to have amassed a considerable sum of money. There is no absolute knowledge that he had money in the house, further than that during a good many years of his life made considerable money, and had so far as is known, spent very little of it. He would never deposit his earnings in bank and his white friends often remonstrated against the fool sh. in view they will begin taking an in- ed with the loose earth through mis- forty eight cases for trial. ness of keeping large sums of money ventory of the stock Monday. The take. about his house.

He was a quietly disposed negro firm name of S. J. Tichenor & Co. and nobody in Fordsville saw much of him except those with whom he had business. Recently he had not been very active and had kept close noticed that he did not come to majority. the polls to vote, and some remarks were made about it. It was regarded, however, as one of his peculiarities, any time after the election and it is generally believed that he must have been murdered not later than Tuesday morning. The body was found Sunday by persons who went to his house to see him about some matter, other- list. wise the body might have remained undiscovered for weeks.

Some weeks ago a traveling negro doctor came to Fordsville and after being in town a day or two made Pool's house his stopping place. He came and went for some time, but has not been seen for several days. Sus picion attaches to him and all attempts to locate him since the murder was discovered has proved futile. W His name is not known and it is "doubtful if a sufficiently definite description on be given of him by those day who saw him about town to secure his apprehension.

Whether or not the murderer secured any money is not known. A deligent search was instituted Sunday and discloses the fact that there is not now any money in the house. If Poole really kept his money there the murderer doubtless got possession of it. There is considerable doubt, however as to whether it was not secreted in some other place. Be that as it may, it is practically certain that the sole motive of the murder was robbery. So far as is known he had not a single

A Corner's inquest was held Monday morning and a verdict returned that the negro was murdered by an unknown party. The Governor has been appealed to to offer a reward for the arrest of the murderer. This reward, if offered, will be supplemented by the citizens of Fordsville.

#### CENTERTOWN.

Nov. 15 .- Mrs. L. P. Drake has re turned from a visit to her parents in Meade county.

Jessie Hill and Myrtle Reneer visited friends near Beda last Sunday.

E. H. James went to Hartford Mon-Earl Davis made a flying trip to

Coffman Monday. Robert James, Livermore visited his family here last Sunday.

Earl and Bessie Carter have recovered from their scarlet fever sickness,

but Madge Phipps is yet confined to her bed with fever.

W. A. Tichenor left Monday for Livermore, where he expects to erect a new dwelling house for himself.

J. D. Bell, Sr., Matanzas, was here this week on business. W. F. Schapmire, Hartford, was in

our town Tuesday on business H. H. Davis is at home this week on account of scarlet fever in his school at Coffman.

Earnest Maddox, Orville Ross and Clauda Chapman are in attendance at the World's fair this week. Roosevelt was elected here.

#### LIVERMORE MERCHANT

### sociates do Not Know His Whereabouts.

S. Duvall, of the firm of J. S. Duvall it. & Co , has left for parts unknown He left here on Monday October 31. this time has not been heard from the purpose of burning it. Some The other members of the firm, straw had been thrown into the exca-Mr. S. J. Tichenor and Rev. Mad- vation with the loose earth and the dox, of McHenry, Ky., have been loosening of the straw by the children here for a tew days checking up his led to the discovery. It is evident books, and have decided to wind up that the infant was buried at night day November 21st with the followthe old firm's business, and with that and, in the dark, the straw was mix- ing criminal docket consisting of business will be continued under the

#### BUFORD.

Nov. 16 .- Our election went off parties. nicely. The stock law being the to his home. On election day it was main rote which carried by a large

> Miss Sue Newton, of Cloverport, is nicely. Some have found the Lord's Georgia.

blessings while others have joined by Mrs. Ben Newton is on the sick

Miss Debbie King, daughter of Mr. Zach King, died Sunday morning and was buried Monday at Bells Run. Debbie was a good girl, she had been in bad health for over a year. She has gone where there is no more suffering, sorrow nor pain where all true christians go.

Mrs. Mattie Turner returned home last week after several weeks' stay with Mrs. I. S. Mason, of Fordsville.

Mr. Charlie Turner and family, of

Mr. John Blair was taken very ill at church Sunday night, but is much better at this time.

Mrs. -- Dodson and daughter, Miss Alice, of Masonville returned home Sunday after a two weeks' visit to her daughter, Mrs. S. J. Hussey.

Prof. I. S. Mason was here yester-Roosevelt is President again.

Hurrah for the Republican party!

#### Notice in Bankruptcy.

In the District Court of the United States for the Western District of Kentucky, Owensboro Division.

In the matter of Edward A. Tilford, 1,000. bankrupt in bankruptey.

To the creditors of Edward A. Tilford, of Beaver Dam, in the county of Ohio and District aforesaid, bankrupt.

Notice is hereby given that on the 15th day of November, A. D. 1904. the said Tilford was duly adjudicated bunkrupt, and that the first mee ting of creditors will be held at the law office of J. A. Dean, in Owensboro, Ky., on the 26th day of November, A. D. 1904, at 2 o'clock P. M., at which time the said crediters may attend, prove their claims, appoint a trustee, examine the bankrupt, and dransact such other business as may properly come before said meeting.

J. A. DEAN, Referee in Bankruptcy. November 16, 1904.

DeWitt's Witch Salve For Piles, Burns, Sores.

#### BABY MURDERED

#### And Buried in Garden Near Addison Found by Children Playing in Straw.

Cloverport, Ky., Nov. 16 -- There has been no little excitement at Addi son the past week over the discovery of the body of an infant buried in the garden at the home of Cy Merritt who near Addison. The skull of the intant was crushed apparently by a blow with some kind of a blunt instru-

or six days.

The body of the infant was found ous. by some children. When discovered

Up until yesterday no arrest had been made in the affair. It is under stood that an effort is being made, in 3865 Com'th vs Willie Walker a quiet manner, to find the guilty 3866 Com'th vs Sip Rhoads

#### GENERAL INTELLIGENCE.

A storm swept the Atlantic coast 4122 Com'th vs Vermond Coper &c visiting relatives in this community. Sunday, causing the prostration of all | 4169 Com'th vs J R Johnson Uncle Berry Wells, of Whitesville, electric wires for several hours in 4170 Com'th vs T Schroader and no investigation was made. No is visiting Mrs. Fannie Cox and at- many of the coast cities. A snow- 4078 Com'th vs Will Engler one remembers to have seen him at tending the protracted meeting here. storm raged throughout East Ten 4175 Com'th vs P E Toll Our meeting is still getting on nessee, Virginia, the Carolinas and

> A Wabash train with 1 200 passengers on board was wrecked in the outskirts on North St. Louis Sunday, by the wheels of the tender jumping the rails. Fourteen persons were injured, two trainmen probably fatally.

The ballot boxes used in the memocratic primary election in Barren county Saturday were stolen from the courthouse at Glasgow early Tuesday morning by a gang of men; broken into and the ballots mutilated and scattered over the town. The grand jury is investigating the robbery.

In a case from the Hickman Circuit Hartford, attended church here Sun- court the Court of Appeals Tuesday decided that where a County Clerk gives a certificate of acknowledgement to a deed to property, and the deed be incorrect, he is responsible, and the amount involved can be recovered from him or his bondsmen.

> A dispatch from the Japanese headquarters before Port Arthur says the Japanese troops gained the moats of the principal torts assailed on October 30, and captured the galleries running north of the Keekwan forts. They are now sapping to dislodge the Russians from parts of the moats 4246 Com'th vs Annie Bryant which are still being held. The Japanese casualties in the general attack of October 30 are said to have been

Commissioner of Pensions Ware tendered his resignation to the President, and it was accepted to take effect January 1.

In arguing the Berea college indictment at Nicholasville on demurrer, the Hon John G. Carlisle attacked the constitutionality of the Day Law on the ground that it was in conflict with the fourteenth amendment of the Constitution of the United States. The petition of B. W. Bradburn to be discase will come up at the February term of court.

A committee representing Louisville business interests will call on Gov. Beckham this week to urge special session of the Legislature to consider a new capitol sight.

A Washington special to a Chicago paper says that Senator Fairbanks will tender his resignation to Governor Hanley, after the latter is inaugu

rated, to take effect on March 4. It is generally understood that Senator, Fairbanks is in favor of Congressman Hemenway for the succession. Mr Fairbanks left Indianapolis last night to visit the World's Fair as the guest of President Francis. He will go East the latter part of the week.

The test flight of the Franco s airship at the World's Fair aeronautic concourse was not a success, the ma chine meeting with an accident after is a tenant on the John Burks farm it had been in the air several minutes-Another flight is scheduled to-day weather permitting.

Col. W. C. P. Breckinridge, the well known attorney and editor, of A physician of this city, who exam- Lexington, was stricken with paraly ined the remains of the infant, states sis while seated at his desk in his ofthat it was undoubtedly born alive fice Wednesday morning. It is not and that it had been buried about five thought that he is in immediate danger, though his condition is seri-

Several hundred representative men Livermore, Ky., Nov. 12.-Mr. J. a strip of cloth was wrapped around of both the Republican and Democratic parties tendered a reception to Sen-The infant was found in a ator Charles Fairbanks, the Vice small excavation, about a foot in President elect, at the Commercial saying he was going to attend the depth and near a pile of straw. The Club in Indianapolis Wednesday St. Louis fair, and left here with the children who found it were raking up night. The Hon. John W. Kern preintention of not returning, and up to the scattered straw in the garden for sided, and addresses were made by several of those peesent.

#### Circuit Court.

The regular November term of the Ohio Circuit Court begins next Mon-

FIRST DAY.

3761 Com'th vs Rudy Jane 3762 Com'th vs Same

3889 Com'th vs James Shultz 3960 Com'th vs W E Russel 4008 Com'th vs Dock Porter

4009 Com'th vs Same

4248 Com'th vs Guinn Daugherty 4118 Com'th vs Charles Robinson

4215 Com'th vs Payton Sullenger SECOND DAY. 4176 Com'th vs Alex Nichelson 4180 Com'th vs Cassa Wilcox 4183 Com'th vs Same 4191 Com'th vs Mary Nabors

4192 Com'th vs Bridge Duncan

4193 Com'th vs Frank Tichenor 4021 Com'th vs Fo.est Chinn 4196 Com'th vs Henry Blackburn 4201 Com'th vs Orbry House 4202 Com'th vs Same

4204 Com'th vs Buzz Hammons 4205 Com'th vs Same 42 9 Com'th vs S B Gentry 4228 Com'th vs Jack Smith.

4249 Com'th vs Guinn Daugherty 4243 Com'th ve R L Boyd

4244 Com'th vs Same 4245 Com'th vs Same THIRD DAY.

4241 Com'th vs Ben Butram 4233 Com'th vs Garfield Maiden 4235 Com'th vs James Burden 4236 Com'th vs Cicero Smith 4237 Com'th vs Same 4238 Com'th vs Same 4239 Com'th vs William Reddish

4240 Com'th vs Cicero Ridons 4242 Com'th vs Marion Hatler 4247 Com'th vs Cleveland Hatler 4251 Com'th vs Thomas Grant 4253 Com'th vs John Foster 4252 Com'th vs Mattie Adkins



#### Galloway Wins.

In the Circuit Judgeship contest in the Bowling Green district the Court of Appeals reversed the decision of Special Judge Osborne, and ordered the missed. The contest was filed by Bradburn on the grounds of fraud. The Appellate Court holds that certain ballots had been tampered with after the election officers had certified to the returns which gave a ma jority for Galloway, and should have been admitted as evidence by the lower court.

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